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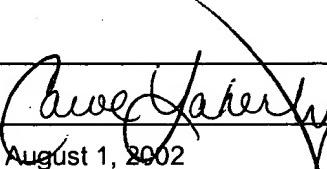
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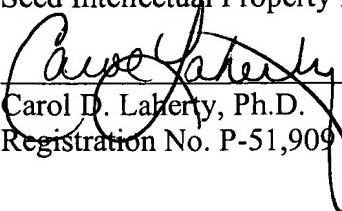
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Dear Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 1, 2002, Applicants hereby elect Group II, claims 2-8, 12-16, 18, and 35-36, and the species of SEQ ID NO:195 (also referred to as BMNI-17-4) for examination at this time.

Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

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